POSTAL EMPLOYES TO BE ADVANCED **GRADE IN SERVICE**

Promotion for Several Hundred Clerks and Carriers Here.

INCREASE IN FORCE BY NEXT SEPTEMBER

Benefits of Act Providing for Compensatory Time Off Goes Into Effect Today.

Several hundred clerks and carriers in the Washington City Postoffice are to be promoted. With the beginning of the new fiscal year today, all of those who have served efficiently and satisfactorily will be advanced one grade, with a corresponding increase in salary. These salary increases vary with the various grades from \$100 to \$200 a year.

In addition to the promotions, ther will be several new appointments announced. The entire list of changes will not be made public for a week or two at least, until they are approved by the Postoffice Department,

There will be no marked increase of the working force of the City Postoffice for several months at least. Today begins the lightest season of the year for mail handling, as the population of the city is always depleted in the summer months. A general increase in the working force is expected in September or October. This is more or less of an annual event, due to the regular per centage of growth of the Washington

Compensatory Time Off.

Beginning today, clerks and carriers in the Washington office will also receive the benefits of the recent act of Congress, providing for compensatory time off for work done on Sundays and holidays. They will get the benefit of this compensatory time the whole year, except when special exigencies of the service demand that they work more the border, was pointed out today by than forty-eight hours a week. This officials of the War and State Departnew law applies to all first and second ments, in discussing the withdrawal of class offices in the United States, in part of the troops stationed in Texas. every city of 30,000 or more inh abitants. It was passed upon the recommendation of Postmaster General Hitchcock.

Several vacancies in the service were created by resignations made effective movements by President Taft yestertoday. Miss Minnie Q. Sanders, for six day. years receiving clerk at the registry window of the local office, applied for transfer to the office at El Paso, Tex. She will leave the city today. O. A. Wise, resigned as clerk in the office of the chief postoffice inspector, to accept a position in the office of the secretary of state of Missouri.

Inspectors Reclassified.

There was a general re-classification of all postoffice inspectors today, and they will all be put under the chief inspector. Previously, there were inspectors for each division of the service, re- throughout Texas. Two companies of sponsible to the chiefs of division. The Coast Artillery will remain at Galvesper diem expense money allowed the ton. A part of the First Cavalry, all of inspectors is cut from \$4 to \$3 a day, the Third, Fourth, Sixth, and Eleventh

paid for lost registered mail except of the first and second classes.

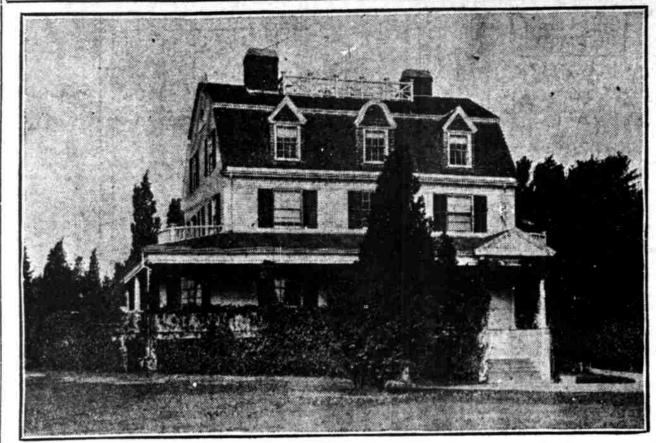
Two other new provisions of postal Hammond Is Snubbed

law of great interest are effective today One of these is of especial significance to the police and Secret Service; it ex-tends the meaning of the word "indecent," as applied to mail matter, to in-clude matter of a character to incite murder, arson, or assasination. The other will aid the public at Christmas time. It provides that the phrase "Not to be opened until Christmas" may be written on third and fourth class mat-ter, without confiding it to a resting place in the dead letter office. An apropriation of \$256,547,690 is available today for the coming year's work of the Postoffice Department.

Government Printing Office Employes Get Promotions in Service

Promotions in the Government Printing Office going into effect today are: W. J. Dow, from secretary to chief clerk, at \$2,500 a year; August Donath, superintendent of documents, from 3,000 to \$3,500 a year; Miss Annie L. Shiley. Mechanics Elect Officers cataloguer, from \$1,200 to \$1,500 a year; Miss Elizabeth M. Eggert, cataloguer, from \$1.000 to \$1,200 a year; David D. Weinstein, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year; Cordie H. Mann, clerk, from \$900 to \$1,000 a year; Morris Cohen, clerk, **************

Beverly Home Where President's Family Will Spend Summer



GUARD ON MEXICAN AS A PRECAUTION

Only Part of Troops at Present.

That the Administration is not yet satisfied that all is well in Mexico, and intends to maintain an armed watch on These officials emphasized the fact that less than half of the soldiers on guard in Texas are to be withdrawn, following the authorization of troop

It is felt throughout the Administration, that there is still cause for anxiety in the Mexican situation, which requires the continuation of preparedness for military activity.

It is especially desired that it be thoroughly understood by the people on the other side of the border that a strong force is remaining in Texas. Besides the maintenance of the cav-

alry patrol along the Rio Grande, large bodies of troops will be distributed

By Ambassador Reid

LONDON, July 1 .- According to gossip hee, all has not been olithe and merry between John Hays Hammond and Whitelaw Reld, respectively special ambassador to the coronation of King and the regular American ambassador at the court of St. James.

Much talk has resulted from the fact that when the Reids gave their big dinner dance in honor of the Connaught family, the Hammonds were not seated at the hosts' table, where the guests of lonor were.

The Duke of Connaught evened matters up a little by paying marked respects to Mrs. Hammond and taking her into supper. Those who do not like Ambessador Reid here hay he could not Those who do not like bear to see another American more in the limelight at the coronation cere-monies and entertainments than him-

For the Ensuing Year

Two councils of the Order of United American Mechanics have elected officers for the coming year, as follows:

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Following complaints from 120 of the leading commercial organizations of the United States, the Interstate Commerce some time, and the investigation orpanies doing an interstate business. the rates now charged for the carriage of packages of less than 100 pounds and handled by two or more express com-

into effect August 1. said, has nothing to do with the general order issued today. The new tariff provides only for a reduction of rates in instances where the express originates from a point where there is but one company and is consigned to an at half the amount. point where there is but one

Blind Senator Gore Goes

but with the advent of the new fiscal year, they receive an increase in salyear, they receive an increase in salary.

Commending today, owners of lost registered mail of the third and fourth of \$25. Heretofore, no indemnity was paid for lost registered mail except of the extent of \$25. Heretofore, no indemnity was paid for lost registered mail except of the remain, and the extent of \$25. Heretofore, no indemnity was paid for lost registered mail except of the remain, and the remain in Texas, and Eleventh Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to MichiThird Foldrid, Sixth, and Eleventh Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to MichiThird Foldrid, Sixth, and Eleventh Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to MichiThird Foldrid, Sixth, and Eleventh Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to michi san. According to reports from Buffalo yesterday on his way to list the third and fourth remain in Texas, and was impressed with it deeply. Discussing the Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to his way to list and the vent to listen to the roar of Niagara Falls, and was impressed with it deeply. Discussing the Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to hear the vent to listen to the roar of Niagara Falls, and was impressed with it deeply. Discussing the Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in the third for the remain in the went to listen to the roar of Niagara for Heaven Planck and the vent to listen to listen to listen to listen to listen to listen to li ily elect the next President, though President Taft would be renominated. He spoke highly of Governor Wilson as a Presidential possibility. He said he would be willing to vote again for Bryan, but he took Mr. Bryan's word that he would not be a candidate.

Stephenson Probe Is Inevitable in Senate

While the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections has formulated no program as to what will be done in the case of the resolution from the Wisconsin Legislature asking for an investigation of the election of Senator Stephenson, it is gen-erally expected about the Senate there will be an investigation. The The course followed in the Lorimer case seems to make it almost inevitable. The committee probably will be disposed to put the Stephenson matter over until after the Lorimer inves-tigation.

Jack Johnson Bogey Man For Delinquent Boys

Jack Johnson, bogey man of the Juvenile Court. This is the new job which has just been offered the champion puglist and one of the "sights" at the coronation by Thomas H. Callan, acting judge of the Juvenile Court.

by Thomas H. Callan, acting judge or the Juvenile Court. Three little colored boys were be-fore his honor for incorrigibility yesterday.

"Jack Johnson is waiting upstairs here here to give bad little boys a whippin Judge Callan said. "Do you want to good boys or go upstairs and have a talk with Jack Johnson?"

The word death of the control of The boys decided that they would prefer to behave themselves

SUGAR COMMITTEE BEGINS A TEN-DAY

Uncle Sam to Withdraw Searching Inquiry Will Be To Examine Another Group of Magnates, Beginning July Tenth.

> way toward establishing the fact that the American Sugar Refining Company Commission today ordered a general has large holdings in presumably indeinvestigation of express rates. This ac- pendent refineries, the special House tion has been under consideration for committee investigating the alleged Sugar trust began a ten days' rest pedered today includes all express com- riod today. The committee will not resume its hearings until July 10, when A reduction of from 15 to 20 per cent in another group of sugar magnates will have been summoned.

> The committee ordered the recess at the conclusion of the testimony of panies is provided for in new tariffs Charles C. Harrison, formerly of the just filed with the commission, to go Franklin Sugar Company, yesterday afterroon. Mr. Harrison restified that The filing of these new tariffs, it is the Franklin had sold out to the Have-said, has nothing to do with the gen-eral order issued today. The new tariff at half the amount.

The committee has been at work for Blind Senator Gore Goes
To "See" Niagara Falls

Senator Gore of Oklahoma stopped in Buffalo yesterday on his way to Michigan. According to reports from Buffalo,

Of His Race, the Mule

While Robert Johnson, a negro, lies in Georgetown Hospital, his fifth rib shattered, he has time to redect on the ingratitude of that ancient enemy of his race, the mule.

Robert was playing valet to a "critter" of that genus last night. He led the lop-eared hybrid to a tank at Thir-ty-first and K streets to water him. As long as Johnson kept his eye on the mule, the mule kept his eyes on John-son, and there was a sort of armed truce between them. But Johnson made the mistake of re-

laxing his vigilance. In a moment the mule was transformed into a lop-eared terror, and, taking careful aim at John-son's fifth rib, let fly.



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President's Friends Gather at Station to Give Welcome.

BEVERLY, Mass., July 1.-All Beverly turned out to greet President Taft and his family when they arrived here today. They were given an enthusiastic greeting, and the President appeared glad to get back, though he will stay only a short time.

The private car was switched off on siding at the Montserrat station, where a special platform had been built, and the Presidential party was driven to Paramatta, the summer home. The President remained in the South

tation at Boston eleven minutes, while the special car Ideal was taken from the Federal express. The express was fifty-six minutes late. At the station a detail of policemen was on hand to kep the crowds back, but there was little ned, as there was not over forty persons at the train.

The President had arisen when the car entered the station. He was dressed in a golf suit, and wore a large checked cap. With him were Mrs. Taft, Charlie Taft, Major Archie Butt, and Miss Delia

Long before the time set for the President to arrive at Montserrat, crowds had gathered about the little station to greet nim. The President had requested there be no demonstration nor display at his arrival at Beverly, and the greeting though enthusiastic, was re strained as a result.

Everything was in readiness at "Farramatta" for the President's occupancy. "Farramatta" is just in sight of the Montserrat station.

This afternoon the President will prob ably visit the links either at the Myopia Club or the Country Club. On Sunday he leaves for Indianapolis, Ind., where he is to be the guest of former Vice President Fairbanks over the Fourth of

July.

President Taft's first move was to hustle for the Myopia Golf Club links for a game of golf.

Californians to Go To Marshall Hall

Members of the California State Association and their friends will leave the Seventh street wharf on the steamer Charles Macalester at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon for the annual outing at Marshall Hall.

There are a large number of Californians employed in the Government service here, and the fact that all the departments close at 1 o'clock this afternoon will give them an opportunity to noon will give them an opportunity to go on the first boat.

Matches, Dropped on Floor, Cause Small Fire

A box of matches, dropped on the floor of George H. Wood's store, 5946 Georgia avenue, was responsible for a by Claus fire which damaged the place to the extent of \$450.

Mrs. Wood reached for a box of matches which was on a high shelf. The matches fell and exploded the firemen say, igniting the paper on the shelves. The building is owned by Louis

Miss Brown to Speak.

Miss Florence Brown, general secre tary of the Young Women's Christian Association, will be the speaker to-morrow afternoon at the vesper service at 4 o'clock at Vacation Lodge, Cherry-dale, Va. Miss Brown will discuss "Some Wonderful Lessons Told in a dale, "Some Boat."

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